

The People's Column

Bryan's first Dollar Bargain Day and considering the bad weather and impassable roads, local merchants pronounce it a great success. However, it did not have a fair trial this time, and both the merchants and public hope that it will be attempted again. There was much interest aroused in the event this time, and hundreds of people over the county were sorely disappointed that the weather interfered. Bargain Day will prove to be a valuable asset to the city.

ABOUT BRYAN

Otto Gent of Mexia, representative of the Internal Revenue Department, will be in Bryan Tuesday, Feb. 28, at the Chamber of Commerce rooms to assist citizens in filling out their income tax returns. This service is free, extended to tax payers by the government.

Mrs. Bertha M. Renfro of San Antonio, district deputy of the Woman's Benefit Association, will arrive in Bryan tomorrow afternoon to visit officially the Bryan Review. W. B. A. and inspect the work of this organization. Mrs. Renfro has often visited in Bryan and has many friends here, who enjoy her visits while she is attending to her work as district deputy W. B. A.

W. E. Johnson of this city has returned from Houston where he spent the past week attending the Kelvinator Electric Refrigerator Factory service school. Mr. Johnson is one of many electricians and received many new ideas for his home city while attending this school.

Planting More Flowers Urged

As the month of February advances and good season of rain have fallen to insure rapid growth when the warmth of spring sunshine is added to the moisture, Bryan home owners are thinking more and more of planting flowers, shrubs and trees for the further beautification of this city.

Bryan has claimed the title "the crepe myrtle city" and if that title is retained many more crepe myrtles should be planted and planted now. "You may wait, but time will not," was a favorite saying of the great Benjamin Franklin, and the thought is applicable to the planting season. The days go by so swiftly as we are busily engaged in doing the every day routine that the planting time is gone before we hardly realize it is with us. True to earliest southern traditions no home is at its best from an artistic viewpoint without flower bordered lawns, and also climbing roses and other vine plants to shade expansive porches and entwine pergolas and fences with graceful beauty. Let's plant more flowers in Bryan this February and March than were planted before.

Eastern Star School To Be Held In Bryan

Friends of Bryan Assembly No. 41, Order of the Rainbow for Girls will appreciate the honor that has been accorded this group of girls through an invitation to exemplify their degrees of initiation before visiting Eastern Star members who will attend an Eastern Star school of instruction in Bryan on March 5.

Only Masons, Eastern Stars and those who have been regularly initiated into the Rainbow Order will be permitted to witness the work of the Rainbow Girls, and just the initiatory ceremony will be given at this particular time. The present corps of officers in the local Rainbow Assembly have been coached to a degree of excellence in their work, by the Mother Advisor, Mrs. M. R. Bentley. They will be glad to welcome their Bryan friends among Masons and Eastern Stars at the same time that they demonstrate the beauty and solemnity of their ritualistic service for the Eastern Star visitors.

Westinghouse Official Dead

(By Associated Press) PITTSBURGH, Feb. 22.—Falling from a window on the third floor of the Pittsburgh Athletic Association building today, C. H. Smith, 54, general manager of the Westinghouse Union Battery Co., was killed instantly.

1700 ALLEGED COMMUNISTS SAID TO HAVE BEEN EXECUTED IN CHINA

Cantonese Also Capture 600 Members of the Girls' Communist Corps, But These Have Not Been Executed; 800 Reds Made Prisoners and Hundreds of Rifles Taken

(By Associated Press) SHANGHAI, Feb. 22.—Dispatches from Canton say that 1700 alleged Communists, both men and women, have been executed by Canton troops after their capture of East City February 20. The Cantonese also captured 600 members of the Girls' Communist Corps in the same area, but these had not been executed. Northward of Canton 800 Reds were made prisoners and hundreds of rifles captured.

LOTS OF RED TAPE YET IN OIL SCANDAL

LONG TIME YET BEFORE HARRY SINCLAIR WILL FACE PRISON BARS

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Although Harry Sinclair and his co-defendants in the oil contempt case have been found guilty of such court procedure, considerable time must elapse before they can be either compelled to take their punishment or be freed. Two courses of court action were opened today: for them to appeal to higher tribunals than that of Justice Sisson's District of Columbia Court, who sentenced Sinclair, W. M. Burns, Henry Mason Day and Sherman Burns yesterday.

W. B. A. To Have Rally Day Here

March 2, has been designated as the date for a special rally meeting of the W. B. A. in Bryan, and a great day will be enjoyed by the local organization, joined by the Hearne Review which will come to Bryan for that day. Among the special guests who will be in Bryan for the occasion are, Mrs. Alberta Droeble of Port Huron, Mich., supervising vice president of W. B. A.; Mrs. Sadie M. Botsler of Dallas, State Seal Director, and Mrs. Bertha M. Renfro, of San Antonio, district deputy for this district. Mrs. Syble Halton, president of Bryan Review No. 120 with her staff of officers and committees are planning a program of more than usual interest for the day.

Bryan Receives Two-Inch Rain

Bryan received a two-inch rain yesterday afternoon and last night it being one of the most terrific downpours of the winter. Despite the heavy drenching, little damage was done to the roads, according to Engineer J. E. Blair. Rainfall Monday amounted to .63 inches, bringing the total to 2.63 inches.

Nine Jurors Are Named For Helms

(By Associated Press) EASTLAND, Feb. 22.—The number of jurors selected for the trial of Henry Helms on a charge of robbing the First National Bank of Cisco, reached ten today with the selection of three more jurors.

Dr. Lewis Browns, Former Rabbi And Author Of 'This Believing World,' To Speak On March 27

At the present time, when religion is being subjected to a searching search for its place in the thought of man, Louise Browne, who is to lecture at College on Tuesday at 8:00 p. m., March 27, has made a real contribution with his "This Believing World," the simple story of comparative religions, which is among the 1926 best-selling non-fiction. Mr. Browne, a former rabbi, will speak at the Assembly Hall under the auspices of the Social Science and Science Seminars on the subject of "What's Happening to Religion." Dr. Browne, a representative of the young intellectual group which is playing such a prominent part in the field of American letters today, entered the rabbinate to aid in the establishment of the social religion, doing for his sect, what the young Christian ministers were attempting to promulgate. His researches, like theirs, took him out of the limits of one sect, into a study of the broad field of man's religion. Fascinated by his work, the young man went abroad visiting the Near East, talking with the leaders of the world's great religions delving into the history of the religions which had influenced the older worlds. Then he wrote his book which won the immediate acclaim of the critics. He has left the rabbinate now, having chosen writing as his field, thinking it the more effective method of creating understanding and tolerance and breaking now the friction of the religious groups. Dr. Browne recently returned from a seven months trip abroad during which he gathered material for forthcoming books. He was much impressed with the spiritual decadence of Europe and the rise in Russia of what he believes will become a new religion, not a political cult, which will be what is known as Communism. Already Lenin has to it the position which Christ has to Christianity according to Dr. Browne. The same case in telling a story, the same wealth of imagination which adds color and beauty to subjects which have heretofore been left only for the scholar and theologians, is evidenced in Dr. Browne's ability as a lecturer, according to those who have listened to him.

DAIRYING IS THEME HEARD BY THE LIONS

MISSISS CASON AND SALLEY PUT ON MUSICAL PROGRAM AT MEETING

An address of J. A. Clutter, head of the dairying department of A. and M. College, musical numbers by Misses Mildred Salley and Kathleen Cason, and the official welcoming of Bob Irvine were the features of Tuesday's meeting of the Bryan Lions Club.

Interesting reports were made by Sam E. Eberstadt on his visit to Georgetown. Mr. Eberstadt also told of the enthusiastic way in which the Bargain Day plan was received, stating that it would have been a big success if it had not been for the rain.

Mr. Miller told of the plans of the Lions Club committee of trying to secure the 1929 State convention for Bryan. Buster Hall-sell said that his committee was ready to assist the members in attending the A. and M. College revue March 6.

Bob Irvine, formerly vice president of the club, was presented in a circuitous route, Jess Hensarling, Henry Locke, and Rip Erskine having a part in his introduction. Mr. Irvine commended Bryan for the fine progress it is making, and attributed part of it to the Lions Club. He said Bryan is the friendliest city in which he has lived. At the request of the club he played "The Rosary."

Nelson J. Waters was introduced by Noah Dansby, and D. F. Irving was introduced by Ross M. Sherwood.

Misses Salley and Cason sang several songs, accompanied by Mrs. Roy Danforth. The two popular entertainers were given exceptional introductions by two young men in the club. Rev. Thos Gordon Watts was in charge of this phase of the program and Dr. F. D. Fuller was in charge of the rest of it. The secretary, Robert Armstrong, read his minutes of the last meeting which came as a fitting climax to the program.

Milk production in the United States last year was 120,000,000,000 pounds, said J. A. Clutter, who (Continued on page four)

Five In Family Fatally Burned

(By Associated Press) PITTSBURGH, Feb. 22.—The father and four children here were burned to death when a fire destroyed a two story house today. Ten other persons were rescued by the firemen. The dead are Konstante Kozakiewicz, 45, Steven 19, Phillip, 15, Mildred, 11, and Stanley 7.

R. R. Commission To Regulate Gas Rates In Texas

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Feb. 22.—Constitutionality of the oil and gas conservation act of 1919 conferring power upon the State Railroad Commission to regulate gas rates was upheld today by the Superior Court in the City of Denison's suit against the Municipal Gas Company.

Lightfoot At Band Teachers' State Meeting

Major E. A. Lightfoot, director of the famous Allen Academy band, is expected to return to Bryan tomorrow from Breckenridge, where he has been attending the State Band Teachers' Association meeting, of which he is secretary.

He is accompanied by R. J. Dunn, director of the A. and M. College band.

Mr. Lightfoot is a former president of this organization, and has done much to make it a success.

Famous Preacher Coming To Free Baptist Church

Reverend Bob Self, an old-time revivalist of the South, with a national reputation, will conduct a revival meeting at the Free Baptist church in Bryan commencing April 1, according to Harry S. Edge.

THE BOLL WORM IS DISCUSSED BY BARRY MILLER

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Feb. 22.—The only sure way to eradicate the pink boll worm infestation of the West Texas cotton growing areas is to stop all production of the crop in districts affected for three years, Lieutenant Governor Miller believes. Commenting on what he considers very dangerous character pest, he pointed to the fact that the British Empire employed a starve out method in one infested growing section in Egypt.



W. E. Farmer To Be Transferred To Huntsville

W. E. Farmer, manager of the Western Public Service Company of Bryan, and one of our most public-spirited, useful, and popular citizens, will be transferred March 1 to head of the commercial department of the Huntsville office. He will be succeeded by Victor Gayle, a Bryan man, who was graduated from A. and M. College last year.

Mr. Farmer is vice-president of the Rotary Club, a member of the Chamber of Commerce and takes a deep interest in the welfare of the boys and young men of the community.

Victor Gayle, his successor, is a protege of Mr. Farmer's.

His many friends regret his departure, but realize that Bryan's loss will be Huntsville gain.

Ruben Loftin To Make Campaign

AUSTIN, Feb. 22.—Representative Ruben Loftin of Henrietta was here Monday and said he would be a candidate for re-election to the Legislature and expects to offer a bill materially to amend the State highway statutes.

Among other things, he said he would divide the State into five or seven highway districts and increase the membership of the commission to that number and make the members elective. He would also require every person driving a motor vehicle to be examined and licensed, that reckless and careless drivers might have their permits revoked and then be refused permission to operate on public highways. He said the last would materially reduce the number of accidents.

Loftin is first for Representative Cecil Storey of Vernon for speaker but if Storey does not run, and Loftin does not think he will, Loftin will vote for W. S. Barron of Bryan.

Bankers Meet In Wichita Falls

(By Associated Press) WICHITA FALLS, Feb. 22.—Approximately 500 bankers, members of the seventh district of the Bankers' Association of Texas, were present here today when the association's annual convention was called to order by J. C. Anderson, Plainview, chairman.

BANKERS ARE CALLED IN ON TEAPOT DOME

TO TRY TO DETERMINE ON HOW MUCH LIBERTY BOND PROFITS WERE USED

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—A number of New York, Chicago and Boston bankers were summoned to appear before the Senate Teapot Dome committee tomorrow in an effort to determine how much Liberty Bond profits of the Continental Trading Company were used to pay off the Republican National Committee deficit in 1922 and 1923.

Bryan Hi School In Tournament With Contest Play

The University of Texas in its annual Interscholastic League meet is sponsoring a one-act play contest this year and Bryan high school is to enter a play in this tournament. This is being done in cooperation with the Bryan Little Theatre. Two plays are being prepared for presentation and when the Bryan Little Theatre presents its "Trip Around the World," at the Palace Theatre on March 6 at 8 o'clock these plays will be given and capable judges decide which will best represent the local high school in the state meet.

The audience will also have a part in the selection of the best play. Each person attending the performance will be given a slip to be filled out making first, second and third choice, and these votes will be counted and most popular play announced.

Miss Elizabeth Holt, teacher of English in the high school and director of the High School Dramatic Club is to direct one of the plays in this preliminary competition. She has chosen "The Man Who Died at Twelve O'clock," a negro comedy by Paul Green, as her entry in the tournament. This type of play is quite popular in the larger cities and should meet with much approval in Bryan. In fact the Dallas Little Theatre won its second loving cup in the National Tournament with Paul Green's "The No. Count Boy."

Miss Julia Southard, high school science teacher, and assistant director of the Bryan Little Theatre has selected "The Stolen Prince," by Daniel Totherch for her entry in the Interscholastic League contest. This play is given in the typical Chinese manner and is humorous throughout.

There are 18 high school students in the two plays and there is a keen spirit of friendly rivalry and competition already in evidence between the players of the two groups. Everybody in Bryan loves a contest and this will no doubt be a new kind—a contest of wits and histrionic ability.

Andrew Mellon Given A Degree

(By Associated Press) PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 22.—Andrew Mellon, secretary of the treasury, Governor Fisher of Pennsylvania, and Frank Noyes, president of the Associated Press, today received honorary degrees of doctor of laws at the Washington birthday exercises at the University of Pennsylvania.

Miss Kyle Second Girl To Marry At A. & M. College

Miss Lily Bess Kyle, who is to be married soon in Guion Hall at A. and M. College, is the second girl ever to marry in a State building at College, according to Major L. L. McInnis, former president of the school.

Major McInnis recalls that in either 1878 or 1879, Miss Fannie Lewis, daughter of General L. L. Lewis, Confederate veteran and a teacher of English, was married in the chapel room on the fourth floor of the old main building.

Two Preachers In Knife Fight

(By Associated Press) TEXARKANA, Feb. 22.—Rev. Thomas Pearson, Pentecostal evangelist, was held under temporary bond today pending the outcome of injuries of Rev. C. H. Simms, Pentecostal pastor, at whose church Rev. Pearson was preaching. Rev. Simms is suffering from knife wounds inflicted last night.

STATE SUES FOR TITLE OF MANY ACRES OF LAND IN NORTH TEXAS

Defendants in Suit Total 192, Many of Whom Are Among the Major Oil Companies of the State; State Also Seeks Appointment of Surveyor and Cash Damages of \$100,000

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Feb. 22.—A suit for title to an uncounted number of acres of the north fork of Red River bed of oil land in Wheeler and Gray counties was filed today in district court by the Attorney-General's department for the State against 192 defendants, dozens of which are major oil companies operating in Texas. The State also seeks the appointment of a surveyor to make a report and asks \$100,000 cash damages. It claims River bed lands are property that belongs to the State because the River allegedly is navigable.

Little Miss Spell Is Given A Party

Little Emma Jean Spell, four year old granddaughter of Mrs. Emma Spell of this city and who lives with her grandmother on East 26th Street, was given a thrill of joy on her birthday, Sunday, when Mrs. A. K. Brown, a loving neighbor, baked for her a big angel food birthday cake and went with her to the First Methodist Sunday School where with her class of little tots, the cake was enjoyed. Four candles were perched on top of the big white loaf, and when lit, gave opportunity for four good wishes to be made by the children present for Emma Jean, the honoree of the hour.

Big Sum May Be Had To Combat Pink Bollworm

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The U. S. Department of Agriculture will have a large fund with which to fight the pink bollworm in West Texas if Congress adopts a provision which has been included by the House Appropriation Committee in the agricultural appropriation bill.

The committee adopted the supplemental item sent by the President for a fund of \$400,000 to fight the pest. The President asked that only \$100,000 be made available for immediate use, the remainder to be subject to release by his order. At the insistence of Representative James P. Buchanan of the Austin district, Texas, member of the Appropriations Committee, the amount to be immediately available was increased to \$200,000.

Mr. Buchanan explained to the committee that the pink bollworm has been found in seven West Texas counties with upward of 400,000 acres of cotton and that the pest could easily become a problem for the entire cotton belt and require the expenditure of large sums of money by the Government.

The West Texas situation is viewed with some alarm by other states. Senator Robinson of Arkansas Tuesday submitted to the Senate a telegram from the Arkansas Plant Board at Little Rock pointing out that West Texas infestation is of unprecedented proportions and which involves the entire South on account of possible seed shipments from areas not at present known to be infested and urging that the appropriation referred to be made.

BARRON VISITS AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Feb. 22.—Representative W. S. Barron of Bryan, candidate for speaker of the next house, was here Tuesday in a swing over the state in the interest of his candidacy. He said he is receiving pledges in all parts of the state.

Downpour Of Rain Braved By Big Crowd That Hears Good Program At Wesley Brotherhood Tuesday

A terrific rainstorm failed to dampen the religion of the members of the Wesley Brotherhood of the Methodist church Tuesday night, and a large crowd listened attentively to the program and partook sweepingly of the delicious menu furnished by the ladies. The program was one of the most unique and most enjoyable given by the brotherhood this year.

The program consisted of addresses by Hon. Tyler Haswell, Rev. R. S. Marshall, and Miss Lella Law Davis, and musical numbers were furnished by Robert Irvine and Miss Rose Marie Graham, Miss Kathleen Cason, and Miss Mildred Salley.

The president announced the appointment of the following committees for next month: Program, Lamar Bethea, chairman; Dr. John W. Black, and Jack Doane; ticket sales, William Gibbs, chairman; E. R. Bryant, R. C. Franks, Sam Crenshaw, and Jim James; seating arrangement, C. R. Gardner.

The large attendance was partly due to the unusual salesmanship efforts of this month's ticket committee, composed of John Seeley Caldwell, Ed Crenshaw, Scripp Mitchell, Ray Gardner, and Coulter Hoppess.

Brazos River To Have Sharp Rise

(Special To The Eagle) HOUSTON, Feb. 22.—Heavy upstream rains will cause sharp rises down to Valley Junction in the next 36 hours and below Valley Junction for several days, but well under flood unless there are additional excessive rains. Daingerial.

Many Of State Departments In Vacation Today

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Feb. 22.—All state departments except the Supreme Court, Highway Department, and Court of Criminal Appeals are closed today in observance of Washington's birthday.

Jury List For Third Week Is Announced Today

The names of the 36 Brazos county men drawn for jury service for the third week of district court here are announced as follows: J. M. Atkins, J. F. Lloyd, Lee Norwood, Antone Zak, R. M. Bentley, S. I. Dowling, W. B. Colson, D. A. Phipps, Mike Wiskoski, Charles Negliazzo, Roy Robinson, O. L. Andrews, N. C. Cole, R. H. Carroll, W. M. Garner, A. M. Hartfield, J. L. Holligan, W. H. Buchanan, O. A. Jones, Paul Holubuck, Ben Matzer, Fritz Rannert, E. H. Benbow, J. N. Harrison, J. L. Sample, Charles Schramm, W. T. Hill, Joe Navasod, Charley Payne, J. W. Thompson, A. L. Higgs, J. J. Holik, John Kosarek, W. F. Gelber, Albert Haneman, C. G. Hartfield.

Change Of Venue Given In A Suit Against Lawyer

(By Associated Press) CORNICANA, Feb. 22.—A defense motion for a change of venue in the ouster suit against L. J. Woods, county attorney, was granted by Judge Hawkins Scarborough in district court here Tuesday afternoon and the case was ordered transferred to Waxahachie, Ellis county. A defense motion to disqualify the court was overruled at the morning session after examination of a number of witnesses, including the court and the defendant.

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### DR. DURANT'S LECTURE

Dr. Will Durant, philosopher, author, and lecturer, delivered an address Thursday night at A. and M. College before a capacity house that has been termed by many as the "best lecture ever given in A. and M. College." "Our Changing Morals," which was the title of his lecture, was handled in an artistic manner without the slightest possibility of giving offense to any member of his audience.

Dr. Durant is a remarkable analyzer. As a speaker he can be either serious or humorous. Despite the number of degrees that he may have tacked on to his name, his language was as simple as it was effective. He is an Abraham Lincoln in simplicity. Children could have understood and appreciated his address.

The speaker told of the three modes of life experienced by man: (1) Hunting stage; (2) agricultural stage; and (3) industrial era. Such characteristics as avarice and greed are leftovers from the hunting stage. Early marriage and large families are results of the agricultural era. Equality of women with men was caused by the development of industrialism or rather a desire on the part of capital to employ women in the factories. Formerly, the husband was entitled to whatever wage his wife earned and since this was true she did not desire to add to her burdens by entering the factory, with its long hours and unsanitary working conditions.

His most profound statement of the night was when he said that the outstanding event of the past 100 years was the emancipation of woman. This, he said, was of much greater consequence than any battles that were decided on the field of conflict.

In regard to our changing morals, he said that marriage was delayed now until much later in life for economic reasons. "The young man thinks he should be a millionaire before he tries to marry," he stated.

He declared that a single man was only a half man; a married man without children only three-fourths of a man.

During the ages of 20 to 30 years our moral conventions are disregarded by many, he said. Because of industrialism, women today are trying to imitate men in every conceivable manner, and they have begun to copy their moral standards. The double moral standard of yesterday is rapidly passing away, he declared.

The best solution that he had been able to discover to offset the present tendencies, he stated, was to again encourage early marriage. He told the parents that they should not discourage their sons and daughters from early marriage and that it would be wiser to assist their children financially while they are in their twenties rather than in their forties. He believed this practice would stimulate early marriage.

Dr. Durant knows his life's work thoroughly; he is using his knowledge to try to help society rather than to create sensationalism. He is giving his talents and the benefits of his unceasing research in an effort to increase the sum total of human happiness.

### COMPPELLING ACTION

Every advertisement must do three things to be successful—it must attract the reader's attention, it must hold his attention until the advertisement has been read, and it must close with an inducement such as to compel action. Attention can best be attracted by unusual things—statements which at first seem startling, half-facts which excite curiosity, or the real or apparent offers of bargain. There are several ways of maintaining interest once the attention has been caught. A common way is to make the ad readable. This is especially used by big concerns and magazines, where illustrations are easily had. Another way is to make attractive offers. The attractiveness of the offer need not lie in the price of the goods. It may lie in the quality or usefulness of the goods as set forth in the advertisement. But something must be offered. Newspaper readers are intelligent and cannot long be deceived by spurious offers. Having been read, the ad must close with an inducement to action. If the offer of the goods is not sufficient to compel action, then let the time be restricted or the number to the person be limited. These or other means must be used to compel action or else the whole object of the ad is lost. The application of these three principles will much increase the effectiveness of ads. Try them.

## LET POULTRY PUT BRYAN ON THE COMMERICAL MAP

It is said that the receipts from poultry products within an eight-mile radius of Petaluma, California, total seventeen million dollars fifteen times the cotton receipts of Brazos county. Why Can't Brazos county have poultry receipts like that and the cotton besides? We are told that Petaluma has no particular natural advantage which should make it the "world's egg basket" but it did have leadership. Leadership put the one-time jerk water town of Petaluma on the map. A little pushing would put Bryan or the map as the poultry center of Texas and even the south. Bryan does have natural advantages as a poultry raising center. First, it has the inspiration, information, and leadership that can be had at A. and M. College. Second, it has sandy land, which is conceded to be ideal for poultry. Third, we have a mild climate. Our climate would permit hens to lay twelve months in the year, and permit us to raise feed for them nine months in the year. Third, we are within easy shipping distance of all the markets in Texas. Fourth, we are possibly a thousand miles nearer to New York and other Eastern markets than is Petaluma, and we can, after a short overland haul, ship to these cities by water rates well known to be cheaper than rail rates. On all of the points named, we have the advantage of Petaluma. If Petaluma can make a success without the advantages named, we can certainly make a success with them.

### FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

We are always poking fun at Congress, but this department of government is perhaps less entitled to criticism than any other branch. Many examples could be cited of the value of the good work of Congress. When various departments are created, some times Congress sets the salaries and in other instances this is left to officials of the departments. Almost without exception, when Congress sets the salaries they are more in line and more just than when left to others. When others are allowed to fix the salaries, they often are several times as high as they should be. A specific case is the Federal Reserve banks. Representative Guinn Williams of Texas recently read a report in Congress from the secretary of the Federal Reserve Board, in which it was revealed that some of their district governors received as much as \$60,000 a year; some of the deputy governors receive as high as \$30,000 and \$40,000 a year, and some of the minor officials receive as high as \$25,000 a year. Furthermore, by practicing deception and chicanery only two of the 14 Federal Reserve Banks of the United States pay a franchise tax to the government. The Federal Reserve banks pay three or four times as much for ability as do other banking institutions, and then have the effrontery to deprive the federal treasury of its due tax money. We need to apply some "eternal vigilance" to the various departments of our own government. We would be astounded.

Enough cheap, worthless propaganda was received by the Eagle this morning to fill the columns of six newspapers. This propaganda is costing millions and the men engaged in it are doing untold damage to the country. The greater part of it comes from Washington. Washington is reeking with the doings of propagandists. The government agencies have not met the issues of economy. Perhaps a universal law to imprison the propagandist as was once made for the fence cutter in Texas would stop the evil.

A copy of the health record for the year has been secured. The Commissioner of Health had previously discussed the plan, but the other day, in the presence of a group of prominent citizens, the court voted with a smile to help finance the proposition. Several of our local physicians also made generous contributions to the most worthy undertaking. This is a responsibility we owe to the people, and as a wise investment from every point of view.

Texas will be on the map this year, occasionally speaking. The Democratic convention will be held in Houston in June and the American Legion convention will be held in San Antonio in October. The latter meeting probably will be much greater than the Democratic session. The former know the value of peaceful procedure.

Congress says Lindbergh is too valuable to be used to patch up the wounds caused by our diplomats and must quit flying. Lindy says it is ridiculous to conceive of his not flying the same as ever. He knows our foreign needs.

Competition between big business and the little man was never keener than it is now between the candidates for the United States Senate from Texas.

It is a good thing Dr. Durant came along. Bryan would not have had anything to talk about until the A. and M. Arkansas basket ball series Monday and Tuesday night.

Jesse Jones is not spending all of his money on the convention. He had enough left to give \$25,000 to the new memorial union to be built at the University of Texas.

If a wet plank is put in the platform at the Houston Democratic convention perhaps some "dry" delegate will drink it. Some Democrats are peculiar people.

At the Governors' conference in Jackson, Miss., experts are discussing cotton acreage reduction and extermination of the boll weevil. If the weevils will just be active enough, it will be unnecessary for cotton acreage reduction. The farmer should erect a monument to the boll weevil, which has been one of his best friends in many years.

There are three distinct and consistent branches of government in the United States: (1) Judicial, (2) Executive, (3) Legislative. Many of the politicians do not seem to distinguish the difference.

We believe in "Flowers for the living." The man who speaks well of others need never worry over what people say of him.

## With Exchanges

### THE PASSING OF A DIGNIFIED LANDMARK

Within a space of less than two hours the fire which destroyed the Scottish Rite Cathedral Sunday evening had consumed a property investment of about \$200,000. If the property loss were all that is to be considered, Galveston citizens and Galveston Masons in particular would find it easier to look with cheerfulness upon the melancholy ruins at Twenty-second and Church streets. No building is so fine or so useful that it can not be replaced. Texas consistory and affiliated bodies undoubtedly will build another cathedral equal if not superior to the old one in every detail of the building's art. But unfortunately the flames fed upon other things for which the builders to whom the reconstruction will be entrusted can furnish no substitute.

As the home of Texas Consistory No. 1, mother consistory of Texas, the cathedral was the repository of relics associated with the beginning of Scottish Rite Masonry in Texas. So avidly did the flames enter upon their work of destruction that it was impossible to salvage many of these mementoes, though happily the records, along with a number of highly prized books and paintings were taken from the building before the fire reached the ground floor. The loss of historical records is a loss in which all Texas Masonry must bear a share.

Though erected nearly fifty years ago, the building itself had escaped the ignominy which so often overtakes old structures in this day of fast changing architectural standards. It was still surrounded with a dignity which enabled it to be pointed out to visitors without apology. The interior decorations and furnishings displayed a degree of beauty and good taste superior to the whims of architectural periods. Something of the sentimental feeling surrounding the old building, coupled with appreciation of its abiding esthetic charm, was reflected in the demeanor of the crowds watching the fire. There was an absence of the careless excitement usually characterizing spectators at a fire. Spectacular as was the conflagration which began sending billows of thick black smoke upward late in the afternoon and which glowed redly through the fog-thickened dusk came down, few of those who saw the spectacle viewed it with anything but regret.

But it is futile to waste over-much time in regret. Members of the Scottish Rite bodies, who naturally are most deeply affected by the loss, will find consolation in planning a new and more splendid home for their order in Southwest Texas. It is also heartening to remember that the imperishable traditions lingering about the old building will likewise find sanctuary in the new. —Galveston News.

In commending the Bryan Woman's Club for the completion of planting out 250 live oak trees along the Bryan and College Station roads, the Bryan Daily Eagle observes that there is no better way to provide for the happiness of future generations than to plant trees. If you have not planted one or more trees this season you have missed an opportunity to add your bit to the joy of others in future years and the satisfaction that comes from performing a real service for your fellowman. —Gonzales Inquirer.

Bryan ladies would have the State highways lined with immense shade trees, but the highway commission orders all trees cut down and removed from the highways. —Kosco Cyclone.

### INCOME TAX IN A NUTSHELL

WHO? Single persons who had net income of \$1,500 or more or gross income of \$5,000 or more; and married couples who had net income of \$3,000 or more or gross income of \$5,000 or more must file returns.

WHERE? Collector of internal revenue for the district in which the person lives or has his principal place of business.

HOW? Instructions on Forms 1040A and 1040; also the law and regulations.

WHAT? One and one-half percent normal tax on the first \$4,000 in excess of the personal exemption and credits. Three percent normal tax on the next \$1,000. Five percent normal tax on the balance of net income. Surtax on net income in excess of \$10,000.

## Honored By Governor



J. WEBB HOWELL E. H. ASTIN

E. H. Astin, farmer and banker, and J. Webb Howell, oil mill operator, have been named by Governor Dan Moody to attend a cotton acreage reduction meeting at Jackson, Miss., February 20, as representatives from this section.

## Rainbow Girls Have One Of Best Meetings In History Here Friday

Between fifty and sixty Rainbow Girls, Masons and Eastern Stars were present at the regular meeting of Bryan Assembly No. 41, on Friday evening.

Following the usual opening ceremony, and a brief business session; Libby Lynn Gardner, Edna Earl Bethea, Mary Bess Egan, Elizabeth Sloop, Ann Bentley, Evelyn Cahill and Lucile Vick were conducted through the ceremony of initiation.

The following girls filled the offices of the Assembly during the meeting, which according to the statement of those who have long been interested in the progress of Bryan Assembly, was one of the best ever conducted in the history of the local organization. Worthy Advisor, Kathleen Bullard; Associate Worthy Advisor, Minnie Lee Ayers; Charity, Lillian Davis; Hope, Lucile Ayers; Faith, Joyce Smith; Secretary, Frances Davis; Treasurer, Mildred McKenzie; Organist, Rita Kratz; Chaplain, Marie Graham; Confidant, Mary Martha Black; Wheel, Outen Observer, Ruth Smith; Love, Hazel Adams; Religion, Ruth Johnson; Nature, Aline King; Immortality, Jaurine Higgs; Fidelity, Ethel Ferguson; Patriotism, Lois Brown; Service, Bess Maude McGee. Mrs. M. R. Bentley is Mother Advisor of the Assembly, and directed the work from her station.

As a tribute of sympathy to two of the Assembly members, Gussie and Pansy Odum, whose father passed away very suddenly on Friday morning; Rev. R. L. Brown was called upon to offer a prayer on behalf of the Assembly. Many of the visiting Mason and Eastern Stars expressed their appreciation of the Rainbow work and the excellence with which the girls had performed their parts in the ceremony.

A blooming plant was presented to Mrs. Bentley by the Assembly, in recognition of her 18th wedding anniversary, which happened to fall on February 17, the date of the meeting. Mrs. Bentley responded to the presentation with words of genuine appreciation, and added that among the chief milestones that had marked the path of her life since her wedding day, had been the day when her husband became a Mason, the day when she herself became an Eastern Star, the day when her son became a DeMolay and the happy occasion of that hour, when her daughter became a Rainbow Girl.

Mrs. Daisy C. Cushing, of San Antonio, Supreme Inspector of Rainbow Assemblies for Texas, had expected to visit Bryan Assembly on Friday night, but a message was received from her earlier in the day announcing that she found it impossible to be in Bryan at this time. Mrs. Cushing still plans to meet with Bryan Assembly at an early date.

Following the formal closing of the Assembly meeting, refreshments were served in the reception room. Mrs. H. E. Randolph was in charge of preparation and serving. She was assisted by Mrs. W. P. Davis and Mrs. T. B. Higgs.

## FORT WORTH MAN RECALLS MEETINGS WITH JUDGE BEAN FAMED AS 'LAW WEST OF PECOS'

Many ex-cattlemen now residing in Fort Worth, can recall meetings with "Judge" Roy Bean of Langtry, famed throughout West Texas thirty years ago as the "law west of the Pecos."

C. C. French, commission man, is one of these. Thirty years ago French and a Chicago sheep buyer alighted from a Southern Pacific coach in the town of Langtry. To call it a "town" was a compliment, says French, as it consisted of the Lilly Langtry saloon and a railroad section house. But the saloon, named after the actress who gave the tiny settlement its name, was not only a saloon but a courtroom, and also the abode of Bean, whose power extended from the Pecos across the Rio Grande into Mexico.

French and the Chicago man entrusted themselves to the guidance of Bean in locating the Felder Brothers ranch. After purchasing 3,000 head of the sheep from the ranchers, French and his companion returned to Langtry. French can recollect many amusing incidents connected with his short stay in the place. Immediately upon their arrival in Langtry, the "judge" invited the strangers into his place to have a drink.

"I will have a toddy," stated the Chicago man, resting his elbow on the bar. The judge reached, swept a black bottle on the bar.

"That's th' likker," he replied, "an' thar (pointing to a nearby barrel) is the sugar. Over thar is th' water barrel. Help yourself."

While French was in Langtry he was given an opportunity to see the "law west of the Pecos" in action and realized why Bean's fame had spread over the many ranches. A Mexican shepherd and a young Mexican woman came to the saloon and asked the judge to marry them. The marriage fee was \$5 and the Mexican shepherd had only \$2.50. Bean performed only half of his regular ceremony, then stopped.

Half married the Mexicans. "You are only half-married," he told the Mexicans. "When you come back with the rest of the money, I'll finish the job."

From the saloon door, a view of the snowcapped Santa Rosa mountains of Old Mexico could be obtained. Bean told French of the fine hunting the mountains offered. He volunteered to give French and his companion a permit to hunt in the mountains across the national border line.

"It was no joke, however," declared French. "His power extended across the Rio Grande to the small Mexican towns near the border and his permit would have been a safeguard for us."

## Bryan Has Excellent Fire Record For This Year So Far, Is Report Of George Adams At C. C. Meeting

Bryan has a good fire record thus far during 1928, reported George A. Adams, chairman of the fire prevention committee, and today's meeting of the Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce. There have been many fire alarms turned in, but on account of the fine work of the fire department, only small losses were sustained. Mr. Adams discussed the roofing ordinance of the city, and while now it appeared as though it would be a hardship, this will be of untold value to the city in reducing fire losses, which naturally will reduce insurance rates. Mr. Adams said further that many of the agents of the State were discussing making Bryan district headquarters.

Dr. T. O. Walton asked that, if possible, the hour for directors' meeting be changed from 10 to 11 o'clock, as he and Dr. Bolton wished to attend all meetings, but at present this was almost impossible. A motion carried that the hour be fixed at 11 a. m. beginning with next week's meeting.

Oak McKenzie, president of the Bryan Rotary Club, reported that this organization is going to extend the forty-seventh district convention an invitation to hold its 1929 meeting in Bryan, and would seek the co-operation of the Bryan Chamber of Commerce. A motion carried that the Chamber of Commerce endorse this movement, and would be glad to render co-operation to the Rotary Club.

J. Bryan Miller reported that the Lions Club will endeavor to lay the 1929 convention of the State Lions Clubs for Bryan. This matter will be taken up later with the Chamber of Commerce.

E. J. Jenkins, chairman of the finance committee, reported that the committee had not met and was ready to meet with the executive committee at the call of the president to arrange committee budget. Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, chairwoman of the entertainment committee, reported that her committee was waiting to meet with the Retail Merchants' Association committee whenever they are ready. W. S. Howell, chairman of the agricultural committee, reported that Mr. Whitehead, a representative of the United States Department of Agriculture, is in Bryan on the rodent campaign. A motion carried that the Chamber of Commerce endorse this proposition and it be referred to the agriculture committee.

The following were present: N. B. Allen, George A. Adams, E. C. Bolton, W. H. Cole, H. O. Ferguson, Tyler Haswell, W. S. Howell, E. L. Henderson, E. J. Jenkins, John M. Lawrence, J. D. Martin, J. Bryan Miller, Oak McKenzie, Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, M. F. Vitopli, Dr. T. O. Walton, D. L. Wilson.

Shelburne, E. C. Barker, R. O. Allen and W. W. Solomon.

Group No. 5 Meeting  
Group No. 5 met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Black. The devotional was led by Mrs. J. N. Dulaney. Prayer by Mrs. Jno. W. Black. Forty-three chapters were reported read and 26 visits made. The mission study lesson, "Helping the Negro Up Hill," was led by Mrs. A. H. Kerns, assisted by Mesdames J. W. James, R. E. Smith, Wilson Bradley, R. S. Marshall, and W. M. Owens. At the close of the lesson the hostess served delicious home-made candy. Present were Mesdames J. W. Black, A. H. Kerns, Wilson Bradley, J. H. Beard, J. N. Dulaney, J. W. James, W. M. Owens, A. W. Reynolds, R. E. Smith, R. S. Marshall and Miss Nell Cole.

The Acorn store will not be opened until the entire building formerly occupied by the Wallace Printing Co., has been remodeled throughout and an absolutely new line of clean merchandise has been installed in all of the various departments.

The Acorn Stores maintain one price, and this the lowest possible price for merchandise of quality and to prove that this is not mere idle talk the management invites the shrewd and discriminating buyer to test the truth of this statement. Mass distribution and a wonderful buying organization make it possible for the stores to sell at this exceptionally low price and yet give to the customer inherent values of the highest order, the management said.

Absolute satisfaction to every customer is the first aim of the Acorn stores and this principle, combined with the wonderful buying organization, has made possible the growth of the stores from a modest beginning to the position they now occupy and have reached by weathering periods of inflation and depression for over 50 years. The new store's move to open in Bryan brings this spirit here are confidently joins this city in looking forward to a greater era of progress which it believes is just dawning for Bryan and this section.

The next topic on the program was the County Unit System. This was discussed by Supt. H. L. Durham of Bryan City Schools. Mr. Durham showed almost as much money per capita was being spent in the rural districts with a good deal shorter terms than the towns have. And that the county unit system could be managed that a longer term could be given with the same money.

Before the meeting adjourned a rising vote of thanks was given to Supt. Durham and the trustees of Bryan City Schools for the use of the school building.

The monthly missionary and social meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church, held Monday afternoon at the home of this pastor, Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Day was one of the best of the year regardless of the extremely inclement weather.

Bright flowers and a bright and cheerful welcome, made every body forget the rain outside, and the afternoon was indeed one of pleasure and profit to the large number of women present.

Following the missionary program conducted by members of Circle No. 3, a social hour was spent and delicious refreshments served.

Lou Gehrig of New York, and Joe Sewell of Cleveland, were the only two American League baseball players who played in all their games last season.

Group No. 2 Meeting  
Group No. 2 of the Woman's Missionary Society met with the group's chairman, Mrs. Lamar Bethea. The devotional lesson was given from the 10th chapter of Romans, followed with prayer. Right members responded to roll call. After matters of business were dispensed with, the mission study lesson "Healing Ourselves" was taken up by our mission study leader Mrs. J. S. Hemenway who is a very interesting writer directed the course of the lesson as each took a part in the study and discussion of this lesson. Mrs. J. N. Cochran will be hostess for Voice program day.

Group No. 3 Meeting  
Group No. 3 met with Mrs. T. A. Adams with seven members answering roll call. Mrs. Adams presided and Mrs. C. R. Gardner directed the devotional exercises with Mrs. Mary Shelburne leading the study lesson. Both profitable and interesting was the lesson dealing with the life, habits and needs of the mountaineers of the Ozark mountains in which every woman present contributed a part. Next Monday group will meet with Mrs. Mary Shelburne in a social and Voice program. Present were: Mesdames T. A. Adams, L. A. Koenig, C. R. Gardner, Mary

## E. E. Bullock Of Bryan Heads Insurance Club

Edgar E. Bullock of Bryan, manager of the local office of the National Life and Accident Insurance Company, has won the "Three in One" cup offered by the organization, and automatically becomes president of the club.

This cup was offered for unusual salesmanship records first in 1922 and for the first two years it was won by the National firm in Detroit. In 1925 the cup went to Florence, and for the past two years it has been at Baton Rouge, La.

Manager Bullock of Bryan made 235.9 points for 1927, against 234.9 points for his chief competitor, Baton Rouge.

Mr. Bullock was reared in Brazos county, and his many friends will be glad to learn of his fine success.

## Full Docket Of Civil Cases Are Set By The Court

A full docket of civil cases have been set for the next three weeks in district court by Judge W. C. Davis. The cases will be tried as follows:

Second week: February 21: John Zukosky vs. Jacob Poholik, allegation is debt for rents and supplies. W. E. Pigford vs. Jim Cook et al, to clear up title to land. February 22: W. S. Howell vs. Mrs. Lillie McGee, suit on notes. February 23: Bessie Furman vs. D. Litt, possession of minor child. February 25: L. G. Jones and Catherine Jones vs. Milton Scott et al, suit for damages.

Third and fourth weeks: Allen Smith vs. Bassell Bros. and I. G. N., suit for debt and damages. L. M. Morrison et al vs. J. C. Cloud et al, possession and title to land. March 13: City National Bank vs. Scrambley, for debt. March 14: Marcia McGregor vs. Roy Nunn, for title and possession of land. March 15: A. S. Adams vs. Allen Smith and A. Boyett, suit on contract and agreement; A. S. Adams vs. Allen Smith suit for services as civil engineer. D. M. Miller vs. J. J. Ray, suit on note and foreclosure of judgment lien. March 16: Cole Hardware Company vs. J. B. Dunn, suit on notes.

Sixth week: March 19: F. M. Law et al vs. Walker Construction Company, for breach of contract on A. and M. College building. Lampkin Scott vs. Smith-Boyet Co., damages. Tuesday, March 20: Church of God in Christ vs. R. T. Hersey; J. Tom Smith vs. Daisy Jones et al, debt. March 21: P. L. Winter vs. L. G. N. R., damages for overflow of land. March 21: Miller Hightlife Co. vs. C. L. Eden, for debt.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in July.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE: H. O. PERGUSON, A. S. McSWAIN.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR: CLYDE F. GOEN, MARSHALL C. PETERS, C. L. EDEN.

FOR COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR: ROY BUDSPETH, J. M. PERGUSON.

FOR COUNTY CLERK: TOM G. SUBER, JESSE E. MCGEE, E. M. SORY.

FOR SHERIFF: J. H. REED.

For County Superintendent: D. J. McDONALD, FRANK M. VANCE.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER: ROY MONTGOMERY.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: Precinct No. 4: J. T. MCGEE, Precinct No. 4: JOHN J. PHILLIPS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER: PRECINCT NO. 1: GUY F. BOYETT, (Re-election) PRECINCT NO. 2: ENMETT HOLLAND, FRITZ KINDT, WM. CONRAD, J. J. MEKKA, J. W. HARRIS, HUGO ENDLER.

PRECINCT NO. 3: FRANK KRC, FRED A. WEDRMAN.

PRECINCT NO. 4: J. M. DANFORTH, J. M. MOORE, CLAUDE RUCHANAN.

CHICKENS! CHICKENS! Star Parasite Remover will keep them free of worms and destructive insects, in better health and producing more eggs.

BABY CHICKS Don't let white diarrhoea and other bowel troubles kill them. Star Roup and Diarrhoea Tablets will prevent and relieve them or money back.

ROMAN & VICK, DRUGS



## Program Of Cottonseed Crushers' Association At A. & M. College On February 27 Is Made Public Today

The following program will be given by the Texas Cottonseed Crushers' Association executive committee at A. and M. College, Monday, February 27:

7:45—Breakfast.

8:30—Guests will visit agricultural departments, Fred Hale in charge. Meeting of Executive Committee (board rooms).

10:00—Visit of entire group to feeding and breeding station, Mr. Hale in charge.

12:10—Observation of cadet corps.

12:15—Luncheon, private dining room.

2:00—Inspection of departments: Mechanical Engineering shops, Prof. Flagg; Chemistry and Chemical Engineering Department, Prof. Thornton; Textile Engineering Department, Prof. J. B. Bagley; Experiment Station, Dr. Fraps.

5:10—Review of cadet corps.

6:30—Dinner, private dining room.

Executive Committee: Daniel Bond, president Texas Cottonseed Crushers' Association, Vernon; Dudley Johnson, vice president Texas Cottonseed Crushers' Association, San Marcos; Chas. DuBose, International Refining Co., San Antonio; J. C. Jones, Abilene Cotton Oil Co., Abilene; J. W. Simmons, American Ex. National Bank, Dallas; C. G. Trippe, International Vegetable Oil Co., Dallas; B. H. Hulse, Forney Cotton Oil Co., Forney.

Educational Committee: Christie Benet, general counsel International C. S. C. Association, Columbia, S. C.; Geo. H. Bennett, secretary-treasurer, International and Texas Cottonseed Crushers' Association, Dallas; A. L. Ward, director Texas Cottonseed Crushers' Association, Dallas; J. Webb Howell, Bryan Cotton Oil Co., Bryan; S. W. Wilbur, president, International Cottonseed Crushers' Association, Paris; W. F. Pendleton, Dallas; R. E. Montgomery, Palestine Oil Mill Co., Palestine.

A. and M. College Committee: H. E. Wilson, Peoples Cotton Oil Co., Wharton; W. L. Weber, Taft Oil and Gin Co., Taft.

Visitors: G. O. Flaitz, Merchants & Planters Cotton Oil Co., Shreveport, La.; J. E. Bryant, Red River Cotton Oil Co., Alexandria, La.; Eon, Harry D. Wilson, Commissioner of Agriculture, Baton Rouge, La.; Prof. C. H. Staples, in charge of dairying, Baton Rouge, La.; Prof. W. L. Blizard, Animal Husbandry Department, Stillwater, Okla.; Prof. C. P. Thompson, Animal Husbandry Department, Stillwater, Okla.; Prof. R. B. Thompson, Department of Poultry, Stillwater, Okla.; Dean C. T. Dwyer, School of Agriculture, Stillwater, Okla.; B. P. Siddons, Feed Department, Stillwater, Okla.; W. F. Lindsay, manager Retail Sales, Ada, Okla.; P. A. Norris, general manager, Choctawhatchee, Okla.; A. A. Okla.; E. C. Guthrie, Cotton Oil Co., Guthrie, Okla.; Kenneth Edwards, manager, Singleton Stock Farm, Middleton; Paul Plunkett, Cherokee Cotton Oil Co., Fort Smith, Ark.

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## Former Bryan Man Returns to Make Home In Dallas

The following from the Dallas News will be read with interest in Bryan, as Mr. Tuffy formerly lived in Bryan and married Miss Nanine Hall, daughter of Mrs. Mattie Hall:

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His death was unexpected, as he seemed in his usual health, but this morning at six o'clock, he died suddenly at his home, death said to have been caused by an attack of apoplexy.

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## Almost Mistakes Bryan For Waco

Robert Irvine, formerly of Caldwell's Jewelry Store and ex-president of the Lions Club of Bryan, who has been in the jewelry business at Childress, says that when he stepped off the train here this morning, "I thought I was in Waco instead of Bryan. Good my, but Bryan certainly is snapping out of it."

Mr. Irvine will be a guest in the city for several days. He has not announced his plans for the future.

His many friends here hope he will decide to make Bryan his permanent home.

Four criminal cases of much interest were set Monday in district court by Judge W. C. Davis. The most important case, that of the State of Texas vs. Elwell Satterwhite, charged with rape, was set for Thursday, March 8.

The case of Fritz Jerichio, charged with selling intoxicating liquors, was set for Tuesday, Feb. 28.

The case of E. P. Leake, charged with possession of intoxicating liquors for the purpose of sale, was set for Monday, Feb. 27.

The case of Ben Strain and P. P. O'Neill, charged with theft from the person, was set for Monday, Feb. 27.

Moderate temperatures prevailed in Bryan during the past week, according to the statistics from the Weather Bureau of A. and M. College. Following are the statistics:

	Max.	Min.
Monday	72	38
Tuesday	61	40
Wednesday	50	40
Thursday	48	39
Friday	59	31
Saturday	58	33
Sunday	65	39

Last Monday the rainfall was .22 inches and Thursday it was .05, making a total of .27 inches.

**Claude Pollard Honor Guest At Bar Dinner Party**

Dr. T. O. Walton, president of the A. & M. College, was host for a dinner Sunday at noon, honoring Attorney General Claude Pollard of Austin, who was speaker at convocation Sunday morning in Union Hall. Special guests were members of the Brazos County Bar Association. Present were: Honorable Claude Pollard, Dr. T. O. Walton, W. S. Barron, F. L. Henderson, H. O. Ferguson, R. V. Armstrong, W. C. Davis, Robert Armstrong, W. E. Neeley and Lamar Bethea, A. S. Ware.

**Bryan Woman To Have A Painting In Dallas Forum**

Bryan and College Station will be represented at the seventeenth annual exhibition of the work of Texas artists under the auspices of the Dallas Woman's Forum, which will open Sunday, March 4 at Stoneleigh Court.

Miss Marie Haines of College, will exhibit two pictures. Her selections are, a scene painted at Taos, New Mexico, and a sketch in the corner of the Clark home.

Members of the board of directors and the executive committee of the art department will act as hostesses at the opening, which will honor artists and exhibitors.

The Forum exhibition had its inception in the desire of the art department of the Dallas Woman's Forum to discover and encourage art in Texas. The exhibit is open to artists of established careers and the struggling young artists, whose work is creditable. Some of the artists who exhibited for the first time with the forum have since gained national recognition.

The custom was inaugurated by the department last year, to purchase one or more of the pictures displayed. Artists from over the state are registering for this exhibition which promises to be one of the most successful yet sponsored by this organization.

**Civil Case Is Settled Monday**

One civil case was settled Monday without the court and another case was reset, according to Judge W. C. Davis of local district court.

In the case of H. O. Boatwright vs. Jacob Brown, defendant agreed to execute a deed to the property in controversy.

The case of the Lacy Manufacturing Company vs. M. E. Wallace was reset for Wednesday. The defendant is sued for an alleged debt in oil drilling. The defendant denies owing the debt.

## Bryan Public School To Have Elimination Contests In Many Student Activities On March 2

On March 2, the Bryan public schools will hold city elimination contests to determine who shall represent the local schools in the Brazos County Interscholastic League.

The city schools enter in three divisions namely: East Side Elementary, West Side Elementary, and High School. More than 200 students in these three schools will compete to determine who shall represent their respective school in the several events sponsored by the interscholastic League.

All the intellectual events will be conducted in the high school building beginning promptly at nine o'clock. Miss Wesa Weddington is Director-General. There will be no charge to any contestant teacher, but there will be a charge for general admission of twenty-five cents. This charge will take care of bringing out of town judges, records for the music memory contest and printing.

Declamation, Mrs. Ruby Butler in charge. There are four divisions of Declamation; namely: Junior boys, Junior girls, Senior boys, Senior girls. Miss Sue Benton has charge of the Junior boys and Junior girls for the West Side. Mrs. Butler has charge of the Junior boys and Junior girls for the East Side. Miss Holt has charge of the Senior boys and Senior girls from the high school. There are 30 contestants in this division of competition. Mrs. Butler will be in charge of the contest. The eliminations will begin at 9 o'clock March 2 in the auditorium of the high school. At this time the judges will eliminate down to two Junior boys from the high school; two Junior girls from the West Side and



# BRAZOS COUNTY

## Boys' And Girls' Club Department

Club Notes and Farm News By County Agent C. L. Beason  
and Lucy A. Givens, Home Demonstration Agent

### Living Room Contest

Brazos county has five demonstration club women enrolled in the state living room contest. The contestants are Mrs. R. Franze, and Mrs. John Sabo of Kurten, Mrs. Grace Horton of Reliance, Miss Rosa Kopetsky of Rye and Mrs. J. A. Henry, Bryan, route 3. The contest in this county is being sponsored by the Extension Service Women's Club. Mrs. R. R. Lancaster and Mrs. George Barnes scored the rooms at the beginning of the contest and are to score them again when the work is completed. The scoring is being done on the basis of the greatest accomplishment in proportion to cash expenditure. The contestants are now busy making various improvements. They are making a study of their rooms and are adapting them to the needs of their families as best they can. They are working toward the wise expenditure of a limited amount of money and are making their living rooms more comfortable and attractive for their families.

### Should Be Inspired

In the death of Col. Frank P. Holland, editor Farm and Ranch, not only the club boys and girls, but all agricultural interests in Texas as well, have suffered an irreparable loss, but the example of his life spent so unselfishly in the interest of a better agriculture should serve to inspire those of us who have been left in line of battle to pick up the torch so courageously borne by this veteran newspaper man and friend of the farmer, and carry on till the victory is won.

## Secretary Sam E. Eberstadt Of Bryan Is Chief Speaker Of The "Greater Timpson Day" Program

(Houston Post Dispatch) How TIMPSON, Feb. 18. How Timpson can develop its natural resources, double the production of its land, increase its population and property values and bring about a more co-operative spirit between its citizens were among the subjects discussed at the banquet given Friday night by the chamber of commerce as the concluding feature of "Greater Timpson Day."

Four meetings were held during the day. The program began at 10 o'clock in the morning with a meeting of the board of directors and chamber of commerce members. At 1 o'clock a short meeting was held at the Timpson high school and at 3 o'clock a mass meeting of women was held at the Methodist church.

**Bryan Man Talks**  
The banquet which concluded the crowded inspirational program began at 7 o'clock. Sam E. Eberstadt, secretary of the Bryan and Brazos county chamber of commerce, delivered addresses at all four meetings.

W. N. Blanton, secretary of the East Texas chamber of commerce, shared speaking honors with Mr. Eberstadt at the banquet. In his address at the morning meeting Mr. Eberstadt touched briefly upon the many phases of work which can be accomplished by an active chamber of commerce.

He also explained the workings of the "Bryan Plan" of rendering service. At the school meetings the speaker told the pupils how they could aid in carrying out chamber of commerce programs and how they could take a part in development of civic enterprises. He urged them to begin now and work for a greater and better Timpson, and suggested that they particularly take an active interest in the development of agriculture in the territory adjacent to Timpson.

At the afternoon mass meeting the women were warned against yielding to the blandishments of certain classes of peddlers and beggars. Mr. Eberstadt cited numerous instances to show how women are being fleeced by sellers of spurious merchandise and by swindlers who pose as legitimate salesmen. "Women can assist in the work of the chamber of commerce by discouraging these peddlers, beggars and swindlers, and by reporting them to their local chamber of commerce," Mr. Eberstadt said.

**Demand Indorsements**  
"Don't buy anything from a canvasser or house to house salesman unless he can produce a card or letter showing that his product is indorsed by the local chamber of commerce," he urged. "Some of these fellows are very clever and are able to perpetuate frauds upon unsuspecting housewives and business men without laying themselves liable to prosecution. If they are discouraged or made to produce a signed indorsement the dishonest ones will soon be forced to discontinue their practices. Leave the development of your agricultural interests to your county agent but back him up in his projects," Mr. Eberstadt urged the banquet.

**Praises County Agents**  
He told how agriculture had been developed in Brazos county through the efficient work of county agents and declared that any future development rests almost entirely upon these men.

**Mule Herefords Preferred**  
In speaking of the importance of Polled Herefords, the American Hereford Journal quotes Albert Kyle, manager of the Burleson & Johns herd of Polled Herefords, Whitney, Texas, as saying: "Beef cattle must be dehorned somewhere between the breeding ground and the feed lot so why not let nature do the job, which is a decidedly unpleasant one for man to say the least." Mr. Kyle is a brother to Dean E. J. Kyle of A. and M. College.

All boys and girls who desire to share in the benefits of club work this year should decide upon one or more projects and enroll now. Ask for a card. Big things ahead for us this year. Club boys and girls are blazing the trail to a greater day.

**Record of J. A. Moore**  
In introducing the visitors at Rotary last week, J. A. Moore was not introduced as a "Master farmer," but he is, nevertheless. His record is outstanding and is a challenge to every farmer in Texas who desires to make farming more profitable. This farm record ought to be studied in every Texas farm home, and it should be the subject of discussion in every rural school throughout this great state.

**Kill Gophers Now**  
Now is the time to kill gophers, before they move out from the turn rows into your planted crops. Gophers seem to be taking charge of the sandy lands in Brazos county.

"The county agents sometimes need extra co-operation and finances to carry out certain projects and it is then that your chamber of commerce can perform valuable service for the community," the speaker declared. Mr. Eberstadt went into details of the operation and work of the Bryan and Brazos county Chamber of Commerce and told of the unusual results which had been obtained in the way of increased business for the community and added protection for its members and the general public. He told how his organization welcomed new-comers and made their first impressions of the community a favorable one. He told of how the chamber of commerce encouraged the organization of specialized groups.

Organizations such as poultry associations, swine breeding bodies and dairy groups could be sponsored and financially backed by a chamber of commerce and when they got on their feet allowed to operate as a separate organization, Mr. Eberstadt pointed out.

**The East Texas Chamber**  
Mr. Blanton, who was introduced by M. O. McDowell, in his address told of the history and growth of the East Texas chamber of commerce and the work which it had accomplished and the work it hopes to accomplish. He dwelt upon the possibilities for developing the Timpson territory and pointed out its numerous natural advantages and resources.

The speaker predicted an unprecedented era of development and expansion for the whole East Texas as country, declaring that the eyes of the South are upon this section and that all that it needed is to tell the outside world what we have.

Mr. Blanton praised the co-operative spirit in Timpson and declared that the East Texas chamber of commerce already had achieved a great deal but that it is really just getting into action and will within the next ten years or so make this section of Texas as well known as the Magic Valley is today.

**Other Speakers**  
The address of welcome was delivered by W. J. Walker and the response by W. L. West of Lufkin. The invocation was by Rev. W. E. Hasler, J. R. Nichols, secretary of the Timpson chamber of commerce, served as toastmaster.

Music was furnished by the Timpson orchestra and a quartet from the Tennessee community. The dinner was served by the Willing Workers of the Methodist church.

**A. & M. CONSOLIDATED PARENT-TEACHER ASS'N. VISITING DAY FRIDAY**  
The College Station Parent-Teacher Association has its visiting day on Friday, Feb. 24. All parents and friends are invited to visit classes and the rooms and inspect the regular work done by the pupils. Your interest will encourage both teachers and pupils.

**TYLER, Feb. 21.**—Mrs. Mary Ethel Brannon of Victoria has been appointed home demonstration agent of Van Zandt county, succeeding Miss Jessie Lee Davis, who has been made home demonstration agent of Scurry county.

Texas has 6,200 miles of high tension electric transmission lines an increase of about 2,250 since 1925.

## ADVISORY COM. METHODISTS TO MEET THURS

A. M. Waldrop, chairman of the advisory committee of the First Methodist church, has called a meeting of the committee for Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the church annex. Every member is urged to be present as there is business of importance to definitely decide. Members of the Committee are as follows: T. A. Adams, J. H. Beard, C. M. Bethany, J. W. Black, Wilson Bradley, E. R. Bryant, J. S. Caldwell, R. J. Cole, W. H. Cole, E. W. Crenshaw, Sam Crenshaw, R. W. Dansby, H. T. Downard, R. C. Franks, C. R. Gardner, W. K. Gibbs, J. W. Hall, C. E. Jenkins, E. J. Jenkins, G. W. Johnson, J. M. Lawrence Jr., W. H. Lawrence, J. D. Martin, Oak McKenzie, A. M. Waldrop, W. J. Coulter, Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, Mrs. J. B. Priddy, Mrs. J. W. Black, Mrs. J. N. Dulaney, Mrs. R. O. Allen, Mrs. H. C. Fulgham, Mrs. O. O. Henderson and Mrs. W. E. Neely.

### TWNTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(Taken from the files of the Bryan Morning Eagle, Feb. 22, 1903, twenty-five years ago.) A deadlock is on in the Senate over the Statehood bill. The proposition to make New Mexico and Arizona one state is preposterous. The A. and M. College will yell out across the battlements at Galveston. A corps of A. and M. boys were aboard the Texas.

Frank McConico went to Houston yesterday. H. H. Scott of Navasota spent Sunday in Bryan.

Mrs. T. C. Bittle of College visited here yesterday.

George Echols was here from the Brazos Valley yesterday.

Ira J. Kerr, of Corsicana was a visitor in the city Sunday. Mrs. D. D. McQuoadale left for Vinton, La., yesterday on receipt of a telegram stating that her brother was seriously ill and not expected to recover.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Williamson of San Antonio, formerly of Bryan, arrived yesterday on a visit to relatives and friends.

E. B. Sherrod and T. W. Reed of Harvey were in town yesterday. Little Miss Laura Bizzell has been quite sick the past two weeks with slow fever.

### DOWNPOUR---

(Continued from page one) commended the enthusiastic spirit of the brotherhood. He said he always was glad to cast his lot with the church people for you could "judge a man by his associations." He stated that through the brotherhood much interest could be aroused among the men in the church. He spoke briefly of the early history of Bryan, and attributed much of the community's development to the churches. His address was well received and thoroughly enjoyed.

Reverend Mr. Marshall told of the progress being made in the church building program and solicited the support of each member in the undertaking. He also was called upon for the invocation and benediction.

The ladies received many praises for their fine chicken dinner, which was one of the best of the year. The following were present: Tyler Haswell, R. S. Marshall, Miss Etta Peters, C. R. Gardner, E. R. Bryant, H. W. Plumb, C. E. Jenkins, W. A. Deaton, Jack Doane, Coulter Hoppess, Ray Gardner, J. B. Brodnax, Mike Butler, J. B. Christian, J. M. Ferguson, W. E. Neely, A. S. McSwain, H. N. Cochran, John S. Caldwell, W. C. Mitchell, M. M. Erskine, M. E. McCartney, Jas. W. James, F. E. Lichte, visitor, J. H. Beard, R. C. Franks, E. W. Crenshaw, E. J. Jenkins, Lamar Bethea, W. J. Coulter, W. H. Lawrence, R. M. Dansby, W. K. Gibbs, Dr. John W. Black, Kathleen Cason, Leila Law Davis, Bob Irvine, Rose Marie Graham, Mildred Bailey, Ty Cobb, E. W. Crenshaw Jr.

**Old Clothes To Be Worn Friday**  
Written on "scratch paper" and with a pencil, the following invitation went out this week to the members of the Friendship Bible Class of the First Baptist Sunday School and the date mentioned is being looked forward to with keen anticipation by the fortunate members of that class: "The Poverty, Penny, Party." They do say the surest way to kill hard luck you know and come over to Mrs. Charles Griesner's house next Friday night at 7:30 and bring 10 pennies. "We are going to rid ourselves of this pest and we need your help. Any sign of prosperity will be considered disloyal. Be prepared to laugh."

This class of young women is at work to make money for furnishing their beautiful new class room in the new First Baptist church with chairs.

**AUSTIN, Feb. 21.**—Lieutenant Governor Barry Miller, Dallas, became acting governor Monday and will continue to serve until Governor Moody returns from the Southwest cotton acreage reduction conference at Jackson, Miss.

## DAIRYING—

(Continued from page one), added that each individual consumed slightly more than 1,000 pounds. In the past 10 years milk consumption in Texas has increased 51 per cent. Dairy products now constitute about one-third of the value of our farm products. One-fourth of all of the money spent for food goes for dairy products.

The production of a Texas cow is only half of that of the average for the entire nation, he lamented. However, Texas leads the nation in the production of country butter, the output being 55,000,000 pounds annually. The people of Texas consume 5,000,000 gallons of ice cream, said Mr. Clutter.

The following were present: Bob Irvine, F. D. Fuller, A. S. Ware, S. E. Eberstadt, H. H. Young, A. F. Ainsworth, M. F. Vitopil, Harry Estill, C. M. Halsey, Norman Dansby, R. V. Armstrong, Henry Locke, Ross M. Sherwood, Clifton Franks, Joe Kaplan, R. S. Marshall, F. B. Patronella, W. S. Howell, C. E. Griesner, Harry S. Edge, Tom G. Suber, E. E. Bullock, J. A. Clutter, S. D. Snyder, M. Schulman, Willard Chambers, Nelson J. Waters, Noah W. Dansby, J. E. Hensarling, J. Coulter Smith, Thos. Gordon Watts, J. Bryan Miller, Roy Miniatas, Rip Erskine, Mrs. Roy Danforth, Miss Kathleen Cason, Miss Mildred Salley, D. F. Irving and Ty Cobb.

## Engineering Conference To Be Held Soon

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 22.—The fourth annual Highway Engineering Conference will be offered at the A. and M. College of Texas on March 21, 22 and 23, under the direction of J. T. L. McNew, professor of highway engineering of the college. The course is open to all persons interested in highway improvements and is offered for the purpose of disseminating information on the latest developments in highway engineering among engineers and contractors. Men of national prominence in the highway field will lead the technical discussions.

The first day of the Conference, Wednesday, March 21, will be devoted to discussion of bituminous types of highways. The two remaining days will be taken up with discussions on concrete construction for both the rural highway and the city street. Provisions for accommodations for all who attend the conference have been made with the College hotel on the campus, and all who expect to attend are requested to notify Professor McNew at the College. No fees other than for room and board will be charged.

## Aggies Push The Razorbacks Here Tuesday Night

Playing at the very top of form and giving their best exhibition of the year, the Texas Aggies, coached by Chuck Bassett, pushed the undefeated Arkansas Razorbacks to the very limit last night at College Station, the visitors winning 44 to 29. However, the score does not indicate the real closeness of the game, which was hotly contested every inch of the way. The Razorbacks won the game last night not because they were better coached but simply because of the advantage of height and more experience. Every fan left the stadium proud of the team coached by Bassett.

Only one game remains on the Aggie basketball schedule, and it will be played with the Longhorns here in March.

## Colored Teachers Meet On Saturday

The colored teachers of Brazos county are hereby notified to be present at a meeting of the Brazos county colored teachers' association to be held at the negro high school in Bryan, Saturday morning Feb. 25, at 9 o'clock, according to Director E. A. Kemp. The methods of teaching English will be the theme for discussion with Corrine Cass, leader. All teachers are asked to come prepared with something definite to say on the subject.

Other matters of importance to be taken up will be: (a) final arrangements for the county interscholastic meet; (b) consummation of plans for the establishment of a Prairie View Extension School in Bryan. At 11 o'clock remarks by County Superintendent D. J. McDonald, Rev. A. F. Ainsworth, pastor of the Christian church, will address the association on the constitutional amendment creating a state Board of Education, soon to be voted upon. County Agent Beason of the A. and M. Extension service will also give an address.

**AUSTIN, Feb. 21.**—Representative Lee Satterwhite, Odessa, formerly of Satterwhite, has "rather definitely" decided not to run for the lieutenant governorship, he said here on Monday. Satterwhite, former house speaker, had been mentioned as a possible candidate frequently.

## MANY ARRESTS MADE; GRAND JURY REPORTS

### CRIME GOING ON AT ABOUT NORMAL GAIT OVER BRAZOS COUNTY

Many arrests have been made in Brazos county yesterday and today following the 24 indictments returned yesterday by the Brazos county grand jury. The grand jury, in its report, said that crime conditions were about normal, though there had been a number of petty thefts.

The names of those who have been arrested following their indictment are listed below.

O. J. Walker, charged with the murder of Pat Underwood near Allenfarm.

Robert Jackson, negro, charged with the murder of Otis McGrew, also a negro.

Rudolph Vela, charged with the murder of Joe Garcia. Both are Mexicans.

Otilia Hernandez, charged with the murder of W. T. Ennis of Dallas in a Bryan rooming house.

Ramon Ramirez, charged with the burglary of a house occupied by Nelson Campbell, a negro.

Robert Merza, charged with the burglary of the same house.

Essie McCoy charged with the rape of Rosa Brown. Both are negroes.

Velmore Evans, negro, charged with the burglary of the house of Marshall Bullock.

Velmore Evans, charged with theft of over \$50.

James Nesbit, negro, charged with the unlawful transportation of intoxicating liquors.

Ramon Ramirez, charged with assault and intent to murder Jack Russell. It will be remembered that Jack Russell, single-handed, encountered several Mexicans who had broken jail and were attempting to flee.

Doc Johnson, negro, charged with the robbery of a railroad car.

Johnny Johnson, negro, charged with the robbery of Colbert Mayes, another negro.

## Internal Revenue Official Coming

Postmaster Charlie Myers announces that a representative of the Internal Revenue Department will be in Bryan Tuesday, Feb. 28, at the Chamber of Commerce rooms to assist citizens in filing out their income tax returns.

This is a free service extended to the taxpayers by the government.

## Woman's Missionary of College Meets

The Woman's Missionary Society of the College met Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. O. Watkins, with Mrs. J. R. McKee presiding. The "Missionary Voice" lesson was led by Mrs. J. C. Thompson.

The following were present: Rev. J. C. Thomsen, Mrs. Jennie Yates, Mrs. A. A. Brown, Miss Sue Chapin, Mrs. J. R. McKee, Mrs. C. O. Watkins, Mrs. F. W. Plunkett, Mrs. J. C. Thompson, and Mrs. Ernest Gibbons.

## Harvey

(Special to the Eagle). HARVEY, Feb. 22.—The rain has apparently gone and the sun is shining again, so farmers are busy getting their land prepared for planting.

On account of rain and muddy roads we have not had our B. Y. P. U. programs for two weeks, but met Sunday night February 19th with good attendance. Chas. Pipkin of Beaumont came out with his brother James Pipkin and gave us an interesting talk on B. Y. P. U. work. We were glad to have Mr. Pipkin with us.

Our school is progressing nicely under James Pipkin, as principal, Miss Florence Means, intermediate, and Mrs. Nona Belle Holland, primary teachers. We will have a representative from this school in the Interscholastic meet which will be held in Bryan and College March 16 and 17.

Mrs. Floyd has gone to Houston to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Onah Shaw of Bowman school came home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bradley of Millican visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kincannon Sunday.

Elmo Weedon has taken the contract for caring for Bethel cemetery this year. We hope that every member of the association will rally to its support, by paying their dues promptly.

Mrs. D. M. Danaby of Iola visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Peters Thursday and Friday of last week.

Our W. M. U. meets at the church on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. We would be so glad if more of the ladies would come and help us in the work.

Sunday, February 26th is our regular church day. Everybody come and let's make our pastor, Rev. R. L. Brown of College Station know that we are glad to have him with us again.

**STRAYED:**—From the Note pasture on Cameron ranch road, about three months ago 16 or 18 head of cattle, mostly cows, all branded "P" on hip. Reward for return. SAM PALERAO.

## BRYAN GIRL PLEDGES SIGMA KAPPA SORORITY

DALLAS, Feb. 22.—Miss Ralphana Searcy, of Bryan, daughter of Dr. C. A. Searcy and a freshman in Southern Methodist University was pledged by Sigma Kappa sorority last week. Other pledges of the sorority are: Miss Merl Poston, Fort Worth; Mary Grace Lloyd, Dallas; Elizabeth Keeney, Port Arthur, and Marcia Todd, Houston.

## State News Briefs

**DALHART, Feb. 22.**—Cattle totaling 2,693 carloads, averaging 30 to the car, have been shipped from here since August 20 last, it was announced after a survey made by the Chamber of Commerce.

**FORT WORTH, Feb. 22.**—In an effort to halt wholesale poultry thefts in this county, the Tarrant County Anti-Theft Association has been organized. The members of the organization will brand chickens so that the identity will "go as far as the table."

**WAHACHIE, Feb. 22.**—More than 3,500,000 onion slips, enough to plant 100 acres in rows three feet apart have arrived here from South Texas and will be planted by 50 farmers as the first step toward getting away from the all-cotton falacy.

**YOAKUM, Feb. 22.**—With cotton as a side line, J. R. Chapman, Lavaca county farmer, has made his farm net \$2,000 from livestock, truck and poultry during the past year.

## Cottonwood

**COTTONWOOD, Feb. 23.**—After an absence of several weeks I am back again to bring a line from Cottonwood. Everything around here is a little dull at present due to the fact that so many people in our community have the measles. There are quite a number of families that have from one to three cases, but no serious cases have been reported, with the exception of Ezra Wilson. He is threatened with pneumonia but we wish for him and all the rest a speedy recovery.

We thought we were doing fine in our church work, but it seems that the measles are causing a lull in that too. However, we have a faithful few who always stand by our services.

We had Sunday School Sunday morning and had an interesting lesson though a small crowd. Mr. Chas. E. Leeke, our faithful superintendent, is in Marlin for rheumatism treatment and we all missed him very much. We hope that he soon will be back with us again. His place was filled by W. D. Bunting, another efficient leader in our church.

Sunday was also our church day and our pastor, Rev. R. L. Brown, was in Cuero and could not be with us. He sent in his place two A. and M. students and one of them, Mr. Neff, made us a very nice talk and we all enjoyed it though we are always disappointed when our pastor is absent. His place is very hard to fill.

A small crowd also met for B. Y. P. U. at night. The program could not be put on as it was planned on account of the absences, some being sick and some afraid to come, but the lesson was gone through with and I am sure all present got something from it. We do not like to call off our B. Y. P. U. as it seems that when we miss a few nights we lose interest and it is hard to get started back again.

We hope that in a few weeks everybody will be over the measles and able to be back at our services. We want every one that possibly can to come and "do your bit" for we need you.

## Surprise Party Given Rosie and Joe Malik On Their Birthday

A very delightful evening was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Malik on Saturday night, Feb. 18, celebrating the birthdays of Miss Rosie Malik and brother, Joe Malik. It was a surprise party for Joe. Just as he was fixing to leave home the crowd arrived and showered the two with presents and best birthday wishes. Dancing and games were enjoyed by all. Refreshments of cakes, pies, candy and punch were served. Those present were: Misses Carrie Kopecky, Annie Wathuba, Rosie Malik, Josephine Kresensky, Christina Malik, Gussie Malik, Helen Kopecky, Messrs. Joe Malik, Anton Wathuba, Alpha Holik, Jimmie Holik, Frank Malik, Charley Wymola, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kopecky, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Malik. When departing they all wished Miss Rosie and Mr. Malik many more happy birthdays.

I have found already some of the "sweet uses" that belong only to what is called trouble, which is, after all, only a deepened gaze into life.—George Eliot.

Since 1925, towns and cities of Texas to the number of 297 have been added to the list having electric power and light.

The wind always blows from the north at the South Pole.

The state now has about 614,500 telephones, of which 458,650 are Bell telephones and 155,850 are connecting and independent company telephones.



BALLARD W. GEORGE

Ballard W. George, widely known in Texas for his law enforcement record while district attorney in Navarro county following his return from the World War, has been appointed organization manager of the Alvin Odsley campaign for United States Senate.

## A. & M. College Radio Program Is Announced

Following is the March Radio program station WTAW, Texas A. and M. College, College Station, Texas. Wave length 483.6 meters. Frequency 620 kilocycles. Music, weather and livestock reports on each noonday program.

**Thursday, March 1**  
12:10 p. m.—Preparing Land for Cotton, D. T. Killough.  
**Friday, March 2**  
12:10 p. m.—Making the Home Beautiful with Spring Flowers, Prof. F. W. Hensel.  
7:00 p. m.—Gardening Twelve Months a Year, Prof. Frank S. Jamison.  
7:15 p. m.—The Architect's and Contractor's Services in Building Operations, Prof. F. E. Giesecke.  
7:30 p. m.—Musical program.  
**Saturday, March 3**  
7:30 p. m.—Basket ball, Texas University vs. Texas A. and M. College.

**Sunday, March 4**  
11:00 a. m.—Chapel service.  
**Monday, March 5**  
12:10 p. m.—The Basis of Prosperity of the Country Town, C. E. Gatlin.

**Tuesday, March 6**  
12:10 p. m.—Furnishing the Dining Room, Miss Helen H. Swift.  
**Wednesday, March 7**  
12:10 p. m.—Diseases of Baby Chicks, Dr. R. C. Dunn.  
7:00 p. m.—Raising Dairy Cows, Prof. J. A. Clutter.  
7:15 p. m.—Some Common Physical Phenomena and Their Application, Prof. E. E. Vezey.  
7:30 p. m.—Musical program.  
**Thursday, March 8**  
12:10 p. m.—Pasture Crop Rotations on the College Dairy Farm, Prof. A. L. Darnell.

**Friday, March 9**  
12:10 p. m.—Managing a Beef Cattle Herd Under Farm Conditions, Prof. E. Gibbons.  
7:00 p. m.—Cool Weather Vegetable Crops, Prof. Frank S. Johnson.

**Sunday, March 11**  
11:00 a. m.—Chapel service.  
**Monday, March 12**  
12:10 p. m.—Water Works on the Farm, Prof. M. F. Thurmond.

**Tuesday, March 13**  
12:10 p. m.—Linsens for the Dining Room, Miss Helen H. Swift.

**Wednesday, March 14**  
12:10 p. m.—Beneficial Insects, R. R. Reppert.  
7:00 p. m.—Why Should I Feed My Cows? Prof. J. A. Clutter.  
7:15 p. m.—Biology in Every Day Life, Dr. O. M. Ball.  
7:30 p. m.—Musical Program.

**Thursday, March 15**  
12:10 p. m.—Feeding the Growing Poultry Stock, R. M. Sherwood.  
**Friday, March 16**  
12:10 p. m.—Good Farm Drainage, S. R. Wright.

7:00 p. m.—Vegetables for Summer Months, Prof. Frank S. Jamison.  
7:15 p. m.—Our Tariff Controversy With France, Prof. V. K.

The total telephone mileage in the state is 440,276 miles, including both local and long distance.

**AUSTIN, Feb. 21.**—Two Texas Rangers, who recently were withdrawn from Freestone county, after they had aided local officers in anti-liquor operations, were ordered to return and resume work today.

## Hatching Time Is Spring Time

In a few short weeks, Spring will be upon us. All the earth will teem with NEW LIFE. Sprouting seeds, new born animals, new hatched songbirds, baby chicks. Then you will want a box of Sunshine Chicks.

Place your order now to be sure of getting them. Remember, when Spring comes, every one wants chicks, be sure of getting yours.

Sunshine Chicks are good chicks. All pure bred, hatched right, bred right and priced right.